

Our Reference Number: 97-1160

Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

May 20, 1999

Ms. Carol Moore Bayer Corporation 800 Dwight Way P.O. Box 1986 Berkeley, CA 94701-1986

Dear Ms. Moore:

Your request to supplement your product license application for Antihemophilic Factor (Human) to include a second viral inactivation step in the manufacturing process, has been approved.

We acknowledge receipt of your March 3, 1999 and April 9, 1999 submissions stating that ______ will not be used as the primary release test for moisture. The primary method for release will remain the ______

The exemption from lot release under reference number 96-1041 is continued under this supplement. However, you are requested to submit a copy of the release protocol and one sample of a final container from each lot of Antihemophilic Factor (Human) placed into foreign and/or domestic distribution. Please submit the samples and protocols to:

Sample Custodian HFM-672 5516 Nicholson Lane Building B, Room 113 Kensington, MD 20895

This information has been placed in your product license file. Please keep a copy of this letter available for review at the time of FDA inspections.

Sincerely yours,

Jay S. Epstein, M.D.

Director

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